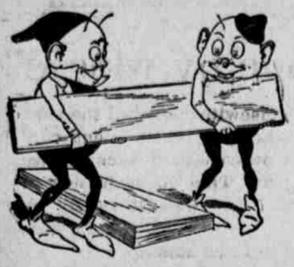


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## HEMINGFORD

H. Garvey arrived on 44 Thursday from Lead, S. D., where he has been for the past week on business.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congo church met with Mrs. Rella Johnson on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Lethia Iren came in from the east Thursday for an extended visit with her sisters, Mrs. Rob Wright, Mrs. Guy Sprowles and Mrs. John Wiltsey.

Mrs. Lee Moore and children left on 43 Friday for Edgemont, S. D., where they will make their home. Mr. Moore has a position in a store there. Miss Mollie Hughes went up with her, returning on 44 Sunday.

Mr. Cox came in on 43 Friday from Reno, where he has been for a few days, helping on the new church which is being built at that place.

Mrs. John Armstrong went to Gordon, where she will visit for a few days with the family of Rev. Kuhler, and attend the meetings which are being held at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. B. U. Shepard are visiting with Mr. Shepard's niece at Johnstown, Nebr., this week.

Mrs. Wm. Curry was an incoming passenger from Alliance Friday, where she spent a few days visiting friends.

C. E. Wiltsey was a business visitor at Scottsbluff the latter part of the week.

Guy Sprowles has the foundation laid for his new house in the south-east part of town.

Leo Frohnafel has been on the sick list for the past few days with the grippe.

The Misses Marie and Nora Hanson were Alliance passengers Saturday, returning Sunday on 43.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborn spent Sunday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wiltsey and family took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pierce, Sunday.

Tom Hopkins and Joe Wanek were Alliance visitors between trains Monday.

George Hedgecock autoed to Alliance Monday afternoon, taking Bud Kinsley, Omer Scribner and Miss Agnes Moravek down.

Ora Phillips spent Sunday with home folks, returning to Alliance Monday.

Mrs. Fred Abley has been on the sick list for the past few days.

Fay Partridge was an Alliance passenger on 44 Monday, returning on 43 Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Street was an incoming passenger on 43 Tuesday, from Denver, to make her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roland, a visit.

Fred Melick was an incoming passenger from Alliance Tuesday, where he has been for a few days on business.

John Michaelson, one of Box Butte county's old settlers, passed away at the Alliance hospital on last Wednesday afternoon, where he was taken for treatment some two weeks ago. He had been suffering with rheumatism for some time, dropsy setting in later, which seems to have been the cause of his death. He with a brother, Henry, have resided on a farm southwest of Hemingford for the past twenty-five years. Henry Michaelson and a sister, Mrs. Sulzbach, living at old Box Butte, are left to mourn their loss. The funeral was held from the Methodist church Saturday, interment being in the Hemingford cemetery.

The young people of the Methodist church held a Dutch social Saturday evening, at the home of A. M. Miller.

Miss Agnes Moravek and Omer Scribner were incoming passengers on 43 Tuesday from Alliance.

Miss Eunice Blue from the ridge, who has been suffering with stomach trouble for some time, was brought over to Hemingford Monday. She will stay at the home of Wm. Curry, where she will take treatment of Dr. McEuen.

J. J. Lloyd has been on the sick list for the past few days.

George Carroll was a business passenger to Alliance on 44 Tuesday.

Quite a number from town attend-

ed the sale of Wm. Lichte Tuesday. Mr. Lichte with his family will leave soon for Oregon, where they expect to make their home.

## STRASBURGER

Thanksgiving was truly a red letter day for the good people in and around Strasburger. At the school house everybody was happy. "To be good", you know, "is to be happy." And may we not say, too, "To be happy is to be good?" Be this as it may, all the people there were good enough to be happy, and to bring turkeys, chickens, jellies, pies, cakes, etc. No chef could make better, and all the kind, good people had no livers out of order, and the department of the interior was ready to receive and digest the excellent provisions brought to the school house by the Wintermutes and Merryheys and Pisels and Strasburgers and many others not so far away. Although all ate heartily and laughed joyously no one we know of needed a doctor. Mr. Merryhew prayed a sincere and earnest Thanksgiving prayer. May our kind Heavenly Father continue to bless him and his estimable wife. After the tables (which had been built by the Philpott brothers) had been laden with the splendid things God gave the people, and transferred by the crowd of about one hundred present, toasts were given by Miss Lucy Pinkham, Mrs. Sam Spear, and Messrs. Rev. Porter, Moore, Harrison, Strasburger, Starr and John B. Strasburger. None were dry toasts. Miss Martha Fischer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fischer, rendered an excellent song in an unaffected pleasing manner. Now let us all be good for 365 days and be thankful each day for the blessings we have.

May health, peace and contentment be the lot of Julius Eckerle and Gus Sandoz with their better three-quarters, formerly Miss Lena Sandoz and Miss De Borde.

Edmond Strasburger is in Chicago on business.

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## BINGHAM

R. R. Kincaid spent a few days in Alliance last week.

George and James Breckner spent a few days last week in Alliance.

Mass will be held at the home of Andy Apleguarth Sunday, the 17th, by Father McNamara, for the benefit of those near Bingham.

Harry Davis spent a few days at the home of John Skipper the first part of this week.

It is rumored that Doc. Watson will take a better-half soon.

Wm. Breckner is in Alliance at present and will return at the week's end.

There will be a dance at the home of A. G. Anderson Friday evening.

Some ranchmen of this neighborhood are losing stock from the blackleg.

Felix Becker was in Bingham Sunday on business.

J. T. Newton and wife were up from Hyannis Thursday.

John Becker spent Sunday at the Breckner home.

A skating party was held southeast of Bingham. Most of the young folks of this vicinity were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Sellers returned from Alliance, where they have been with their little boy for medical treatment. He is much improved at this writing.

The services of the Congregation-a' church were largely attended Sunday last. Rev. Kreamer performed the duties.

John Donnelly has returned to Bingham from Lakeside, as the surveyors have put up for the winter months.

Rentfro Bros. sold out their general merchandise business to A. B. Stuckey.

John Burton has erected a large tombstone to the memory of his son, Frank Burton, who died April 17th last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Welch returned from Alliance Monday. They have been buying household goods, and will begin keeping house.

Geo. Howell and Dan Aniel returned from Alliance Tuesday.

## HASHMAN ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lore and family, of Sioux county, have moved down to this vicinity. They are living on the place where Mr. Nichols used to live.

Miss Sallor and Miss Ethel Brown of Alliance visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fleharty on Sunday of last week, returning home Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hislop and family of Alliance, accompanied by Miss Loar Hawkins and Misses Ethel and Fay Hembry, spent the afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Lelshman, last Sunday.

John Loer took a load of hay to Hemingford Monday of this week.

Mrs. Lillian Duskin and son stayed over night with Mrs. Knuffald last Thursday.

Clyde Johnson assisted Mr. Skinner in napping corn Monday and Tuesday of last week.

## SCHOOL NOTES

Prin. E. L. Meyer of the High School hopes to make a trip with the basket ball team to the eastern part of the state during the Christmas vacation. Games have already been scheduled with several of the best teams of that part of the state, and it is hoped that other acceptances will come in soon. A schedule of ten games is necessary in order to make the trip a financial success.

The High School Athletic Board has decided to use the proceeds from the Thanksgiving basket ball game for the purchase of steel lockers for the gymnasium. These will fill a need that has been felt ever since the construction of the new High School building, and will assist in making our building one of the best equipped in the state.

For the first time in the past eight years the High School has succeeded in capturing the attendance banner.

Miss Gabus has started the work in debating for the year. From the number who have taken up the work we feel confident of a winning team. Announcements of the preliminary debates will be made later.

Miss Barnard, the new music and drawing supervisor has taken charge of the orchestra, and arranged a definite schedule for practice.

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